ORDINANCE NO. 1814

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LODI AMENDING LODI MUNICIPAL CODE CHAPTER 12.12 – PARKS – BY ADDING SECTION 12.12.055, "INTERFERING WITH PARKS AND RECREATION PROGRAMS

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LODI AS FOLLOWS:

<u>SECTION 1.</u> Lodi Municipal Code Chapter 12.12 – Parks – is hereby amended by adding Section 12.12.055, "Interfering with Parks and Recreation Programs," to read as follows:

12.12.055 Interfering with Parks and Recreation Programs:

No person shall be present on any schoolyard or park within ten (10) feet of the field of play of any field being used by a Parks and Recreation affiliated youth program for play, practice, or a game unless that person:

- is a City approved volunteer or employee who has received Department of Justice fingerprint clearance; or
- is a youth member of the team and/or program.

<u>SECTION 2.</u> All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed insofar as such conflict may exist.

<u>SECTION 3</u>. No Mandatory Duty of Care. This ordinance is not intended to and shall not be construed or given effect in a manner which imposes upon the City, or any officer or employee thereof, a mandatory duty of care towards persons or property within the City or outside of the City so as to provide a basis of civil liability for damages, except as otherwise imposed by law.

<u>SECTION 4.</u> Severability. If any provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application. To this end, the provisions **of** this ordinance are severable. The City Council hereby declares that it would have adopted this ordinance irrespective of the invalidity of any particular portion thereof.

<u>SECTION 5</u>. This ordinance shall be published one time in the "Lodi News-Sentinel," a daily newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the City of Lodi, and shall take effect 30 days from and after its passage and approval.

Approved this 16th day of July, 2008

JOANNE MOUNCE

Mayor

AND JOHI

State of California County of San Joaquin, ss.

I, Randi Johl, City Clerk of the City of Lodi, do hereby certify that Ordinance No. 1814 was introduced at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Lodi held July 2, 2008, and was July 16, 2008, by the following vote:

AYES:

COUNCIL MEMBERS - Hansen, Hitchcock, Johnson, Katzakian, and

Mayor Mounce

NOES;

COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSENT:

COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSTAIN:

COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

I further certify that Ordinance No. 1814 was approved and signed by the Mayor on the date of its passage and the same has been published pursuant to law.

RANDLJOHL

City Clerk

Approved as to Form:

D. STEPHEN SCHWABAUER

City Attorney